

IN THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions, and listings, in this application.

Claims 1-12 (canceled)

13. (currently amended) An isolated lipolytic enzyme comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 36 ~~selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO: 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, 33, 36 and 39 or functional equivalents thereof.~~

14. (currently amended) The enzyme of claim 13 ~~obtainable~~ obtained from *Asperillus niger*.

15. (currently amended) An isolated lipolytic enzyme ~~obtainable~~ obtained by expressing a polynucleotide which is hybridisable to the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 34 or 35 ~~according to claim 1~~ under highly stringent conditions or a vector comprising the polynucleotide in an appropriate host cell; wherein highly stringent conditions include hybridizing in 5x sodium chloride-sodium citrate (SSC), 5x Denhardt's solution, and 1.0% sodium dodecyl sulfate (SDS) at 68°C and washing in 0.2x SSC and 0.1% SDS at room temperature.

16. (previously presented) Recombinant lipolytic enzyme comprising a functional domain of the lipolytic enzyme of claim 13.

Claims 17-20 (canceled)

21. (previously presented) A fusion protein comprising the lipolytic enzyme of claim 13.

22. (withdrawn) A process for the production of dough comprising adding the lipolytic enzyme according to claim 13 to dough ingredients.

23. (withdrawn) A process for the production of a baked product from a dough comprising baking dough as prepared by the process of claim 22.

Claim 24 (canceled)

25. (currently amended) The lipolytic enzyme of claim 15 where it is ~~obtainable~~obtained by expressing the vector in *Aspergillus niger*.

26. (previously presented) A fusion protein comprising the lipolytic enzyme of claim 15.

27. (currently amended) An isolated lipolytic enzyme ~~polypeptide~~ encoded by a nucleotide sequence which is at least 95% ~~[[90%]]~~ identical to SEQ ID NO: 34 or 35 or ~~obtainable~~obtained by expressing a vector comprising the nucleotide sequence in an appropriate host cell.

28. (currently amended) A recombinant lipolytic enzyme comprising a functional domain of the lipolytic enzyme ~~polypeptide~~ of claim 27.

29. (currently amended) The polypeptide of claim 27 where it is ~~obtainable~~obtained by expressing the vector in *Aspergillus niger*.

30. (currently amended) A fusion protein comprising the lipolytic enzyme ~~polypeptide~~ of claim 27.

Claim 31-34 (canceled)

35. (currently amended) An isolated lipolytic enzyme ~~polypeptide~~ comprising an amino acid sequence which is at least 95% ~~[[90%]]~~ identical to SEQ ID NO: 36.

36. (currently amended) A recombinant lipolytic enzyme comprising a functional domain of the lipolytic enzyme polypeptide of claim 35.

37. (currently amended) A fusion protein comprising the amino acid sequence of the lipolytic enzyme polypeptide of claim 35.

Claims 38-40 (canceled)

41. (new) A process for the production of dough comprising adding the lipolytic enzyme according to claim 15 to dough ingredients.

42. (new) A process for the production of a baked product from a dough comprising baking dough as prepared by the process of claim 41.

43. (new) A process for the production of dough comprising adding the lipolytic enzyme according to claim 27 to dough ingredients.

44. (new) A process for the production of a baked product from a dough comprising baking dough as prepared by the process of claim 43.

45. (new) A process for the production of dough comprising adding the lipolytic enzyme according to claim 35 to dough ingredients.

46. (new) A process for the production of a baked product from a dough comprising baking dough as prepared by the process of claim 45.